## **REMARKS**

Applicants request that the claim amendments included in the response to final office action filed on October 26, 2004 by Applicants in the above-captioned application be considered and entered. In the present amendment, claims 1 and 7 have been amended to specify that the reaction portion of claim 1 has a "sealed end" and that the capillary tube of claim 7 has a "first sealed end." Support for these amendments can be found, for example, in original claim 11. Claim 11 has been amended to be consistent with claim 7.

## **CONCLUSION**

The foregoing amendments are believed to place the application in condition for allowance. Applicants respectfully request allowance of the claims, and passage of the application to issuance.

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